IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE Application of:

BUSCH et al.

Serial No. 10/070,864

Filed: March 12, 2002

METHOD FOR PRODUCING ACID CHLORIDES

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231, on: June 20, 2002

Date of Deposit Monica K. Sims

ers on Making Deposit

June 20, 2002 Date of Signature

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

For:

This subject Information Disclosure Statement is submitted in connection with applicants' continuing duty of disclosure under 37 CFR 1.56.

Listing of Relevant Documents

The relevant documents are listed in the attached Form PTO-1449.

Remarks

The listed references are discussed on pages 1-3 of the specification and were brought to applicants' attention by the attached International Search Report.

DE -A 4 337 785 is not available in English, however a concise explanation of the relevance of the reference is discussed on page 3 of the instant specification.

The Bosshard et al. reference is not available in English, however a concise explanation of the relevance of the reference is discussed on page 2 of the instant specification.

U.S. 4,900,479 is the English equivalent of EP-A 0 296 404, which is discussed on page 1 of the instant specification.

U.S. 5,166, 427 is the English equivalent of EP-A 0 367 050, which is discussed on page 3 of the instant specification.

RECEVED PIECH CENTER TORON 2900

- U.S. 5,200,560 is the English equivalent of EP-A 0 452 806, which is discussed on page 3 of the instant specification.
- U.S. 5,245,063 is the English equivalent of EP-A 0 475 137, which is discussed on page 3 of the instant specification.
- U.S. 5,430,186, is the English equivalent of EP-A 0 635 473, which is discussed on page 3 of the instant specification.

DD 153 867 is not available in English. Applicants hereby submit the International Search Report and an English-language translation of one which shows the relevancy of the cited prior art documents. It is believed that by submitting the search report and an English-language translation of the special categories of cited documents, applicants have satisfied the requirement for a concise explanation of the relevancy of this non-English language document. <u>See</u> "Notice of January 9, 1992", 1135 O.G. 13 (1992).

Respectfully submitted,

KEIL & WEINKAUF

Herbert B. Keil Reg. No. 18,967

1101 Connecticut Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20036 (202) 659-0100 HBK/mks